

Armstrong Roses

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ROSE *Pink Parfait*
All-America 1961

ARMSTRONG NURSERIES, INC.

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Dear Friend,

I am very pleased to present our new 1961 Armstrong Catalog of Roses -- the finest of its kind to be found anywhere.

As you turn page after exciting page you'll find glorious color photographs of nearly 150 breathtaking varieties, including tree roses and everblooming fence roses ... roses for borders and beds ... roses for armloads of cut flowers all season long. Take your pick, then use the handy order form bound in the center of this catalog.

Because Armstrong roses are always in such demand, we urge you to order early for shipment at the proper planting time in your area. Then you'll be sure to get just the roses you have your heart set on ... roses that will transform your garden into a dazzling showplace of rich, radiant color and enchanting fragrance.

Spring will be here before you know it. May I suggest that you complete your order and mail it today.

Cordially,

J. Awdry Armstrong

J. Awdry Armstrong

P. S. Remember -- all Armstrong roses are tested and guaranteed to bloom anywhere in the U. S. -- or they will be replaced free.

The Only All-

Armstrong's Pink

ALL-AMERICA MEANS—

The best in roses! It is the award of All-America Rose Selections, a national non-profit organization set up to test scientifically, new rose introductions and to select the best for its coveted All-America Award. Of all rose trials in the world, these best take the measure of a new variety's worth. Entries from all over the world are scored continuously for two full years by America's foremost rosarians! Any rose named "All-America Winner" is destined for greatness. This is proved by the number of famous roses which have won the award in past years.

delightfully different

Pink Parfait

Petite! Perfect! Delightful! The color softly blends pastel shades of pink, like the rosy fingers of dawn heralding a new day. In the lavish Grandiflora manner, it produces perfect buds and lovely blooms in amazing numbers. We've counted as many as 100 on a single plant at one time! The plant is vigorous and will grow for anyone, yet it is neat and so thickly covered with foliage that a bare cane seldom shows. Walk into the garden most any time and it will be loaded with perfect little buds and graceful high-centered blooms for cutting. Plant Pat. No. 1904.

\$3.50 each; 3 or more, \$3.10 each.

ORDER NOW!

All-America winners are always in enormous demand their first season. To be sure you will be able to display these brand new 1961 beauties in your garden this season, let us reserve plants for you now. Mail your order today!

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Armstrong Special

One big "guaranteed to bloom" plant each of these two All-America Winners for 1961 shipped postpaid anywhere in the U.S. at proper planting time,



America Winners for 1961

Parfait

Armstrong's Duet



ALL-AMERICA GIVES YOU—

the answer to, "Which roses are best?" The rigorous 2-year testing by All-America Rose Selections is not confined to any single garden, but is carried on simultaneously in 23 test gardens scattered from Maine to California and representing many different types of soil and climate. The roses, identified by the distinctive metal tag as All-America Award Winners, have proved their superiority and scored highest of all by the expert judges in each garden. When you plant an All-America Winner, you can be assured of the most beautiful blooms and of superior plant performance regardless of where you live.



In this rose, two warm and lovely colors combine as beautifully as the voices of two operatic stars singing in harmony. As the perfect buds unfold to beautifully formed, many-petaled flowers, soft salmon-pink is displayed in the facing petals with the reverse side a sparkling orange-red.

Hot weather or cold, moist or dry, Duet retains its lovely flower form and the unique coloring remains "rich and alive." The vigorous plant is amazingly easy to grow.

All through the season, you'll enjoy cutting vase-loads of long-stemmed long-lasting blooms in the robust coppery-pink tones with which a fleecy cloud bank reflects the rays of the setting sun. Plant Pat. No. 1903.

\$3.50 each; 3 or more, \$3.10 each.

OUR GUARANTEE:

Armstrong Roses must live and bloom in your garden or they will be replaced without charge.

Offer

OFFER NO. 102

\$6¹⁰

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Rose dom's

The Rose Dynasty



A new star-studded era for roses began when Charlotte Armstrong was introduced in 1941. By joining the superb qualities of this sensational Hybrid Tea with the best characteristics of older kinds, the Armstrong Research Division has produced a record number of All-America Award Winners—16 since the beginning of the All-America Trials—more than any other hybridizer in the world. And regal Charlotte Armstrong reigns over the Armstrong Rose Dynasty. Her children, famous for their winning ways, include a whole host of famous rose names to be found in the roster of All-America Winners.

Queen of Them All

CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG

Today she stands unchallenged as the finest light red rose of all. In fact, Charlotte Armstrong is the unanimous choice of many as the finest rose of American origin ever introduced. The long streamlined buds of carmine-red to cerise and the large, wavy-petaled high-centered blooms are marvels of rose loveliness. Beauty of flower and outstanding plant performance go hand in hand with this rose, both reasons why it is a world favorite. In all soils and climates, the big, vigorous mildew-resistant plant is a stellar performer—one which will give you bouquet after bouquet of queenly flowers for cutting. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

Some Famous Daughters of Charlotte Armstrong

(Every one an All-America Winner)

<i>Duet</i>	<i>Chrysler Imperial</i>
<i>Mirandy</i>	<i>Helen Traubel</i>
<i>Tallyho</i>	<i>Pink Parfait</i>
<i>Garden Party</i>	<i>Mojave</i>
<i>Forty-niner</i>	<i>Tiffany</i>
<i>Queen Elizabeth</i>	<i>Sutter's Gold</i>
	<i>Nocturne</i>

Partial List of Awards to Charlotte Armstrong

1. All-America
2. John Cook Medal
3. Fuerstenberg Prize
4. Gertrude Hubbard Gold Medal
5. Gold Medal National Rose Society, Great Britain
6. Gold Medal, Portland, Oregon

Royal Family

Headed by Charlotte Armstrong

ARMSTRONG'S ALL-AMERICA
WINNER FOR 1960

Garden Party

Another chapter to the Charlotte Armstrong success story was written when the Armstrong hybridists became first to introduce to the world a successful cross of two of the greatest roses of all time, Charlotte Armstrong and Peace. This is Garden Party, a combination of soft pastels with the rich ivory at the flower's heart giving way to creamy tones and a subtle kiss of pink at the edge of each wavy, wide flaring petal. The flowers are huge, often as large or larger than those of Peace, yet they have the lovely long bud and marvelous opening form which is characteristic of Charlotte Armstrong. When fully opened, the flowers are some of the loveliest ever to grace a rose bush.

A vigorous and free-blooming plant provides an almost continuous show of bloom. Against the large, olive-green foliage, the enormous blooms with their dainty coloring gleam like gigantic jewels. And when you cut a bouquet, you take their flawless beauty right into your home. Plant Pat. No. 1814. **\$3.00 each; 3 or more, \$2.65 each.**

Our Customers Have Said —

Mrs. W. H., Peoria, Ill.

"These are by far the finest plants I have ever had. Your method of shipping is also the best I have seen and the plants were perfect upon arrival."

Mr. M. K., Louisville, Ky.

"Received my shipment of roses in good condition. Never saw better rootstock on any roses. Thanks for your promptness."

Mrs. C. C., Columbia, Mo.

"The rose plants I received from you are the healthiest, nicest rose bushes I have ever gotten from anyone."

Mrs. J. B. W., Alexandria, Va.

"I wanted to take time to commend you on your excellent service (which I did not know existed today). And I want to say that I had the most beautiful roses in all of "Old Town Alexandria."





FIVE

ARMSTRONG'S

Only roses which have proved superior to all others in two solid years of nationwide tests are ever elected to the select group of All-America Winners. When you choose a group of roses from the latest and greatest of All-America Winners, as we have done in this All-America Collection, you can be sure you are getting the finest which rosedom has to offer.

Chrysler

Garden Party

GARDEN PARTY

Armstrong's successful cross of Peace and Charlotte Armstrong! Beautiful buds . . . huge pastel blooms of pale ivory softly kissed with pink. For a complete description of this remarkable All-America and Bagatelle Gold Medal Winner see page 5. Plant Pat. No. 1814. **\$3.00 each; 3 or more, \$2.65 each.**

MOJAVE

A "grand slam" winner—All-America Award (U.S.), Bagatelle Gold Medal (France), and Geneva Gold Medal (Switzerland). In the amazing number of fine, long, tapering buds and big pleasantly fragrant blooms, one sees the rich coloring of a Mojave desert sunset, glowing orange shot with flame-like tones of scarlet and vermilion. Glorious color, fine flowers and a vigorous easily grown plant make this our nominee for the best orange-colored rose yet introduced. Plant Pat. No. 1176. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

Mojave

THE BADGE OF ALL-AMERICA

Look for this metal tag on every All-America Rose Winner. It tells you that this is an honored rose, one of the few in the world to have received America's highest merit award for a new rose.



SUPER ROSES

ALL-AMERICA

COLLECTION

CHRYSLER

Truly everyone's idea of the flower of romance is a glowing red, red rose like this. And there is "dream rose" form in each bud and magnificent, fully double 6-inch flower, too. A strong-growing, medium-sized plant produces the lovely flowers freely, held proudly erect on stout stems as they open slowly to fill the air with their rich heady fragrance. Plant Pat. No. 1167.
\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.

DUET

All-America Hybrid Tea Winner for 1961. A bi-colored thriller, beautifully combining warm salmon-pink and rich, sparkling orange-red. This glorious new garden beauty is completely described on page 3. Plant Pat. No. 1903.
\$3.50 each; 3 or more, \$3.10 each.

PINK PARFAIT

Delightful is the word which best describes this latest triumph of Armstrong Research and Grandiflora All-America Winner for 1961. The big, robust plant produces perfect buds and lovely blooms in amazing numbers, all ideal for cutting. The color—a delicate blending of pink and creamy pastels. On page 2 you'll find a complete description. Plant Pat. No. 1904.
\$3.50 each; 3 or more, \$3.10 each.

Pink Parfait

ALL FIVE ROSES

ALL-AMERICA WINNERS

One top quality Armstrong bare root plant of each of the world famous All-America Winners **Garden Party, Mojave, Chrysler, Duet and Pink Parfait** sent to you postpaid anywhere in the States, a \$15.25 value.

OFFER NO. 103

\$13²⁵
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Duet



ARMSTRONG'S FAMOUS

Ten of the world's newest and best roses—all outstanding for fine flower form, rich coloring and garden performance. A "perfect rose garden" ready made. Just order it and plant.



Mojave



Chrysler



Duet



Garden Party

CHRYSLER

A rose with all the features which a romantic red rose should have—exquisite bud form, beautiful fully double flowers, a color which is reddest red and a rich heady fragrance. With flowers like these on a strong vigorous plant, it's everything you could want in a rose. Plant Pat. No. 1167. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

DUET

Brand new All-America Winner for 1961. A thrilling new bicolored Hybrid Tea, coupling warm, rich, salmon-pink and glowing orange-red in a wealth of beautiful buds and graceful open flowers. See page 3 for a complete description. Plant Pat. No. 1903. **\$3.50 each; 3 or more, \$3.10 each.**

GARDEN PARTY

The only Hybrid Tea All-America Winner for 1960. Lovely long buds open to giant beauties of pale ivory with the tip of each petal lightly brushed with pink. See page 5. Plant Pat. No. 1814. **\$3.00 each; 3 or more, \$2.65 each.**

MOJAVE

Beautiful, long tapering buds and long-lasting blooms, the brilliant oranges, reds and vermilions of a desert sunset. All-America, Bagatelle (Paris) and Geneva Gold Medal Winner. This is the finest rose among the orange blends. Plant Pat. No. 1176. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

PINK PARFAIT

Brand new Armstrong All-America Winner for 1961. A sensational new free-flowering Grandiflora, continually loaded with dainty buds and high-centered blooms. The color is a delicate blending of pink and creamy pastels. See page 2 for more information. Plant Pat. No. 1904. **\$3.50 each; 3 or more, \$3.10 each.**

FAMOUS BIG TEN

One Armstrong-quality bare root plant of each of the ten outstanding varieties illustrated and described on pages 8 and 9, a \$29.00 value.

Offer No. 104

\$24⁷⁰

POSTPAID

Pink Parfait



BIG TEN

AZTEC

The fiery scarlet-orange is one of the richest most intense and "hottest" colors that you have ever seen in roses. Each bud and bloom is "show rose" perfect and delightfully long lasting when cut. Plant Pat. No. 1648. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

EL CAPITAN

An Armstrong introduction for 1960 with beautiful buds and long-lasting, fiery red flowers. Hundreds of customers are saying that El Capitan is the finest cutting rose yet, with armloads of glowing colorfast beauties to cut all season long. See page 18. Plant Pat. No. 1796. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

HELEN TRAUBEL

Acclaimed world wide as a leading pink rose for its lovely long-stemmed buds and big fragrant flowers. The color is rich and has a remarkable "liveness" in its blending of soft pinks richly suffused with apricot. The plant is big, easily grown and free blooming. Plant Pat. No. 1028. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

ISOBEL HARKNESS

Good yellow roses are scarce and if you want a yellow which is absolutely clear and shining bright, you'll find it in one rose, Isobel Harkness. Buds large, long and beautifully formed are borne freely on a plant as good looking as rose bushes come. Plant Pat. No. 1650. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

MONTENZUMA

Each bud and high-centered double bloom is rose perfection, and the color is an exciting new blend of scarlet and orange. The plant is wonderful, too. Big, vigorous and handsomely foliaged, it will give you a wealth of gorgeous long-lasting flowers to cut. Plant Pat. No. 1383. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

Helen Traubel

El Capitan

Isobel Harkness

Aztec

Montezuma

ALL-ARMSTRONG Offer No. 105
\$11⁶⁵
POSTPAID

One bare root plant each of the five Armstrong rose introductions illustrated above.



Kordes Perfecta

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KORDES PERFECTA

The Sensation of Europe

The pride of the famous German rose breeder, Wilhelm Kordes, a spectacular rose distinctively different from any in existence. The big, double high-centered flowers are creamy white with the rolled back edge of each petal appearing to have been rouged with glowing carmine. When the blooms are right, they are everything that the name implies—a rose which fully lives up to its reputation as the sensation of Europe. Certainly it is a novel and eye-catching addition to any rose garden. Plant Pat. No. 1604. **\$3.50 each; 3 or more, \$3.10 each.**

STERLING SILVER

Entirely New Color

A garden conversation piece for its color alone! It is a warm silver-lavender, a striking color never before seen in roses. Unique coloring is not all that you get with this rose for the beautifully formed buds of lavender-pink open slowly to glistening, big 5-inch flowers on long stems, which fill the air with their powerful rose fragrance. The plant grows erectly to medium height and flowers freely. Plant Pat. No. 1433. **\$3.00 each; 3 or more, \$2.65 each.**



Sterling Silver

MIDNIGHT

Deepest Darkest Red

You'll see romance, intrigue, yes, even black magic in the velvety black-red color with its hidden fires and shadowy undertones. Buds, slender and lovely, open to graceful flowers with crisp long-lasting petals and a generous endowment of rich rose fragrance to give them extra appeal. A tall free-branching and free-blooming plant completes a most attractive ensemble. Plant Pat. No. 1542. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

"You can plant Armstrong California grown roses with assurance that there are none better."

Midnight



SPECIAL OFFERS

One plant each of Kordes Perfecta, Sterling Silver and Midnight
Offer No. 106 **\$7⁹⁵** Postpaid

One plant each of La Jolla, Pink Peace, Aztec and Forty-niner
Offer No. 107 **\$9²⁵** Postpaid

COLORS

Unique! Different!

LA JOLLA

Perfection in Pastels

As the beautiful long-pointed buds open, the petals of soft pink, veined and flushed with deeper pink, recurve gracefully from the cream and gold heart of the flower. With its soft coloring and the beautiful arrangement of the broad wavy petals, the big 5-inch open flower is a thing of beauty. The big husky plant with its thick good-looking foliage will give you some of the earliest and loveliest roses of the season. Plant Pat. No. 1103. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

PINK PEACE

Colorful - Kingsize

A descendant of the world famous rose, Peace, this features large size, pleasing form and an appealing, deep satin-pink color. The huge blooms are often 6 inches across, have from 60 to 65 firm petals and are borne in surprising profusion on a tall vigorous plant. Every bloom is a fragrant beauty and every one is on a long, strong stem. Plant Pat. No. 1759. **\$3.00 each; 3 or more, \$2.65 each.**

AZTEC

The "HOTTEST" Rose Color Yet

This is a "flamer," a glowing yet rich scarlet-orange, the liveliest and most intense color you'll find in roses. Plump ovoid buds open into big eye-catching blooms with 25 to 30 thick petals. Every bloom is "show rose" perfect, colorfast and extremely long-lasting. This is a rose you'll find especially pleasing as a flower to cut for brilliant long-lasting bouquets and there is usually a plentiful supply on the good-looking plant. Grows to medium height, somewhat spreading in habit, thickly foliaged and quite disease-resistant. Plant Pat. No. 1648. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

FORTY-NINER

Brightest of Bicolors

Each petal is a marvel of color contrast with its face a vivid red while the reverse side is chrome to straw-yellow! The glowing combination is startling and demands attention, yet is gay and pleasing, too. Even as the flowers age to lighter tones, the bold coloring remains rich and attractive until the last petal falls. The tall vigorous plant, upright in habit, produces flowers freely on strong stems having few thorns. Plant Pat. No. 792. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**



La Jolla

Pink Peace



Aztec

Forty-Niner





8 FAMOUS

EVERY ONE IS

PEACE

This rose carries the American Rose Society's highest rating and deserves it . . . a truly amazing combination of delicate coloring, large size and long-lasting beauty. Ovoid buds open slowly to a glorious bloom displaying shades of canary-yellow, pale gold, cream, pearly-white and appleblossom. The dainty coloring and gracefully curving petals make the huge flower an exceptionally lovely one. And the plant is superior, too, hardy, vigorous, and free-blooming. Plant Pat. No. 591. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

Peace

TIFFANY

Deserving of its All-America honors in every way. The long graceful buds are sheer rose perfection and so are the big, double 5-inch blooms with their warm pink and gold coloring and long lasting qualities. The upright plant grows readily everywhere and produces its big, richly fragrant blooms freely. Plant Pat. No. 1304. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

Tiffany

FRED HOWARD

Especially appealing as an opening and fully open flower when the 50 or so broad petals are unfolding to a long-lasting beauty of pale yellow, each petal flushed pink at its edge. The plant fits the rose—big and extremely vigorous; it displays the giant blooms on strong straight stems. Plant Pat. No. 1006. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each.**

Fred Howard

MISSION BELLS

A fine "solid" performer in the deep pink class. Pointed well-shaped buds of deep salmon-pink on strong stems open to high-centered blooms (40 to 45 petals) of clear shrimp-pink, lovely and long-lasting. The vigorous plant will grow quite tall, yet it stays bushy and attractive, branching freely and blooming profusely. Plant Pat. No. 923. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each.**

Mission Bells

NOCTURNE

The long streamlined bud is beautiful and so is every opening stage of the big wavy petaled flower. Dark red in the bud, the color becomes a velvety crimson richly shaded with deep maroon as the bloom opens. The bush is big and strong with stems long and stout. Nocturne continually rates high as an all-area red rose in national polls. Plant Pat. No. 713. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.**

Nocturne

Armstrong Roses are guaranteed to grow and bloom or they will be replaced without charge.

AWARD WINNERS

AN ALL-AMERICA WINNER

HELEN TRAUBEL

Plant ratings by rose society members nationwide rank this with the top varieties in the pink blends—in fact, among the top half dozen Hybrid Teas in all color classes. You need only to see the big thickly foliated plant grow like magic and to cut your first bouquet of exquisite, long tapering buds to see why. And as you watch them open into delightful flowers of rich pink warmed by an undertone of luminous apricot and sniff the rich spicy fragrance, then you will go right along with the experts. Plant Pat. No. 1028. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

WHITE KNIGHT

The plant is nearly always highlighted with aristocratic long-pointed buds which open to elegant high-centered flowers with 55 or more firm snowy petals. In quality and quantity of bloom, this rose richly deserves its All-America status. The good-looking plant grows readily to medium height, producing quantities of flowers which, even in cool weather, open perfectly. Plant Pat. No. 1359. **\$3.00 each; 3 or more, \$2.65 each.**

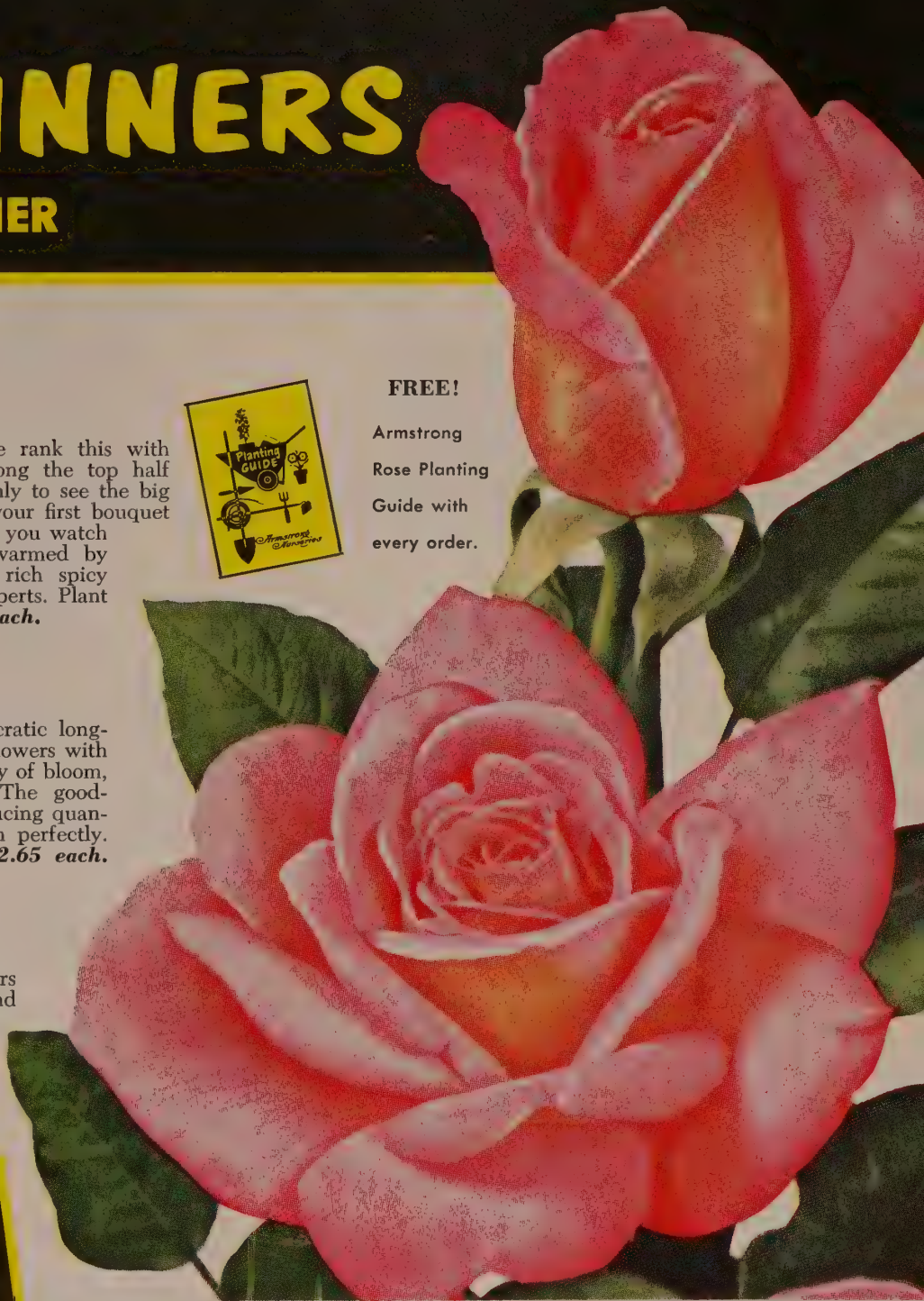
LOWELL THOMAS

The attractive buds and large long-lasting flowers are especially attractive because of the clarity and richness of their bright yellow coloring. A rather upright plant which grows to medium size; it has excellent foliage and stems. In national polls, Lowell Thomas continually ranks among the best of all yellow Hybrid Teas. Plant Pat. No. 595. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.**



FREE!

Armstrong
Rose Planting
Guide with
every order.



Helen Traubel

ALL 8 WINNERS

One plant each of the 8 famous All-America Winners illustrated on this and the opposite page.

OFFER NO. 109

\$16⁹⁵

POSTPAID

Lowell Thomas



White Knight



EXTRA FRAGRANT

Like your roses with an extra measure of fragrance? Here are five, all of which are loaded with rich, rose perfume.

SUTTER'S GOLD

The most fragrant yellow and an International Award Winner, All-America (U.S.), Gold Medal Bagatelle (France), Gold Medal Geneva (Switzerland). Beautiful golden buds richly shaded with red open to lovely high-centered blooms on long strong stems. Every bloom is a garden treasure and a big, vigorous, fast-growing plant is lavish in providing them. Plant Pat. No. 885. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.**

Mme. Chiang Kai-Shek



Sutter's Gold

MME. CHIANG KAI-SHEK

Nearly every one of the lovely long buds borne on this All-America Winner appears singly on an extremely long stout stem. They open slowly to huge high-centered flowers of creamy-ivory (near white in warm weather). The plant is a vigorous erect grower which seems to do well in all areas. Plant Pat. No. 664. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.**

CAPISTRANO

Everything about this All-America Winner is large—the well formed buds, the big full bloom of clear rose-pink with 30 or more firm long-lasting petals, and the tall, vigorous free-blooming plant. Capistrano is an excellent performer in all areas, colorfast, and of course, delightfully fragrant. Plant Pat. No. 922. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each.**

MIRANDY

The glowing red blooms of this All-America Winner are so richly perfumed that you will look forward to sniffing each one as it opens. The big 5-inch flowers have so many petals that they do not always open perfectly in cool weather. But when the sun shines warmly, Mirandy is a rose to melt the most obstinate of hearts. Plant Pat. No. 632. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.**

TALLYHO

The facing petals are rich phlox-pink while the reverse is cardinal red. Each beautifully formed bud of this All-America Winner opens to a glorious, fully double, high-centered flower loaded with rich fragrance. A big robust plant provides a continuous supply of long lasting flowers for cutting. Tallyho is easy to grow in all areas—extra winter hardy, too. Plant Pat. No. 828. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.**

Tallyho

Capistrano



Mirandy



BEAUTIFUL BUDS

Four roses, each a standout for its perfect buds. Plant all four and you'll have lovely rose buds to cut all season.



Show Girl

All
Armstrong
Roses are
guaranteed
to grow
and bloom



Burnaby

SHOW GIRL

If you want the biggest, longest, and yet most perfect buds imaginable for cutting, plant Show Girl. The big, double flowers of deep rose-pink with their broad, heavy-textured petals are lovely, too. In cool areas or warm, foggy or sunny, the vigorous erect plant will flourish, giving you plenty of the lovely flowers on long sturdy stems. Plant Pat. No. 646. **\$2.25 each, 3 or more, \$2.00 each.**

BURNABY

The buds are elegant and so are the flowers. The buds are canary-yellow to pale cream, exhibiting a type open flowers with their 50 or more long lasting petals. Vigorous and thickly foliated, the plant is a handsome one. It may not flower as freely as some roses, but every bloom is a beauty on a long sturdy stem. Plant Pat. No. 1314. **\$2.50 each, 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

ISOBEL HARKNESS

Clear shining yellow, one of the best large-flowered yellow roses you will find. The buds are large, long, and beautifully formed while the broad petaled open blooms show no shadings nor variations to mar the clear shining color. It takes no talented "green thumb" to grow Isobel Harkness. The sturdy free-branching plant grows vigorously. Plant Pat. No., 1650. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

FIRST LOVE

You'll take keen delight in cutting bouquets of these exquisitely graceful, long, tapering buds of pale dawn-pink. There is grace, beauty, and long-lasting substance in the open flowers, too. A strong growing plant covered thickly with bright green foliage, produces the lovely flowers singly on near ideal stems. Plant Pat. No. 921. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.**



*Isobel
Harkness*



*First
Love*

12 ALL-TIME

Twelve of the World's Best Rose

1 Eclipse Clear golden yellow. You'll find yourself going to it again and again to cut some of the most beautiful buds you can imagine.

2 Charlotte Armstrong The whole world knows this as the finest light red rose of all. Beautiful tapering buds and magnificent blooms of glowing cerise. An outstanding performer everywhere.

3 Picture Beautifully formed buds and blooms of clear pink with a warm undertone of salmon.

4 Crimson Glory One of the world's favorite red roses. Its abundant fragrance is a perfect complement to its romantic deep crimson coloring.

5 Etoile de Hollande Glowing ember-like red, bright and unfading. A rich perfume has helped this rose to international fame.

6 Mrs. Pierre S. DuPont Golden yellow, beautifully formed, long-lasting and fragrant. A vigorous plant.

All varieties above except Charlotte Armstrong, \$1.75 each; 3 or more same variety, \$1.55 each. Charlotte Armstrong, \$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.

OFFER NO. 113
All 6 Roses \$8²⁵
Illustrated on this page



FAVORITES \$15⁹⁵

at an Amazingly Low Price

7 Talisman Marvelous urn-shaped buds and lovely red and gold flowers. A long-time garden favorite. Blooms freely.

8 Texas Centennial Handsome buds and beautiful big high-centered blooms in glowing carmine-red. Large robust plant which blooms freely.

9 Mrs. E. P. Thom You'll prize every delightful bud and double open flower for lovely form, fragrance, and solid canary yellow color, which is both lively and long lasting.

10 Christopher Stone A glowing scarlet with an enticing fragrance. The plant is vigorous and upright, a heavy producer.

11 President H. Hoover Cerise, orange, scarlet and yellow. The blooms are huge with a fragrance to match their size. The plant is a giant so give it plenty of room.

12 Condesa de Sastago Raspberry-red and yellow bicolor. Distinctive and different. A colorful addition to any rose garden.

All varieties above except Christopher Stone, \$1.75 each; 3 or more same variety, \$1.55 each. Christopher Stone, \$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.

OFFER NO. 114
All 6 Roses \$8²⁵
Illustrated on this page



Three Money-Saving Offers

Now you can buy Armstrong-quality plants of these famous roses at a price to fit every budget.

OFFER NO. 112

One plant each of all 12 of the famous varieties illustrated on these two pages, postpaid.

\$15⁹⁵

OFFER NO. 113

One plant each of the 6 outstanding varieties illustrated on the opposite page, postpaid.

\$8²⁵

OFFER NO. 114

One big husky Armstrong plant each of the 6 colorful varieties illustrated on this page, postpaid.

\$8²⁵



ARMSTRONG'S GRANDIFLORA COLLECTION

*Plant Grandifloras
For Armloads of
Colorful Blooms
All Season Long*

Montezuma

Cut flowers of this
will last for days and
days.

MONTEZUMA

Eye-catching color, a rich and vibrant blend of scarlet and orange, and the sheer perfection of each bud and bloom have led rose lovers everywhere to proclaim this as one of the greatest new roses of the past decade. The National Rose Society of Great Britain has honored it with a Gold Medal, and it also received a Gold Medal, the highest award, in the International Rose Trials in Geneva, Switzerland. The warm rich color is displayed in buds and flowers, every one a model of rose loveliness, and when cut they will last for days longer than the blooms from most any other rose.

The plant of Montezuma is wonderful, too—vigorous, and handsomely foliaged. Best of all, though, you'll find it one of the most generous of all roses with long-lasting buds and blooms for cutting. It's a rose that should be in your garden. Plant Pat. No. 1383. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

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BUCCANEER

Another Armstrong Rose with world-wide reputation for superior garden performance, the only yellow representative among Grandifloras. In European competitions it received a Gold Medal at Geneva, Switzerland, and the First Certificate of Merit at both Paris and Rome. In the exquisite long tapering buds and the opening flowers you see no color other than clear goldenrod yellow—a color as clear and lasting as you'll ever enjoy. One of the most pleasing things about Buccaneer is the ease with which the plant grows. Large and vigorous, it is well foliated and handsome. From early spring until late fall a profusion of sunshiny buds and flowers are held proudly erect on some of the longest and strongest stems imaginable. Plant Pat. No. 1119. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

EL CAPITAN

"The best cutting rose I have," grower after grower has said. And this new Armstrong rose has the superb color, good form, lasting qualities and plant vigor to make it one of the outstanding stars of the Grandiflora class. Beautifully formed buds borne singly or in clusters of several, open to glowing, long-lasting flowers of rich cherry-red, with 25 to 30 rich velvety petals. Growing upright, though not leggy, the very handsome plant branches freely and blooms exuberantly—it's a veritable "bloom factory." El Capitan is a rose which will give you more perfect long-stemmed flowers for cutting than most any other rose in your garden—by two to one. Plant Pat. No. 1796. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

Buccaneer
You'll cut perfect buds like the one to the left on stems 3 feet long!

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Roundelay

QUEEN ELIZABETH *Enchanting Orchid-Pink*

It's delightful to watch the tall robust plant of this All-America Winner shoot up almost before your eyes. And it's sheer joy to have so many lovely, long-lasting, 4-inch blooms on strong, almost thornless stems for cutting. They're beautifully formed, long-lasting and have a tantalizing fragrance to go with their soft blending of carmine-rose and dawn-pink—a color blending which is delightfully warm and rich. Plant Pat. No. 1259. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

STARFIRE *An All-America Winner*

The color cut to the left gives but a hint of the fine form to be seen in the partial and fully open buds, and it gives only a suggestion of the brilliant fluorescent quality of the glowing currant-red color. The big vigorous plant with its disease-resistant foliage is an easy one to grow and the profuse and long-lasting flowers will give you showy bouquets all season long. Plant Pat. No. 1742. **\$3.00 each; 3 or more, \$2.65 each.**

ROUNDELAY *Perfect Roses—Fiery Red*

An Armstrong Grandiflora which gives you all the desirable features of the Grandiflora class—marvelous plant vigor and a profusion of perfectly formed blooms. In addition, Roundelay gives you a dashing, deep red color and a fine fragrance. The flowers are very long-lasting, usually borne in clusters but each is on a stout stem of cutting length. A big, husky, easy-to-grow plant will give you an amazing number of buds and blooms for cutting. Plant Pat. No. 1280. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

CARROUSEL *Nonfading Red*

Awarded a Gold Medal by the American Rose Society for its fine performance in all areas. Bright blooms of sunfast red are large, semi-double and last very well when cut. The large fast-growing plant blooms early and keeps the brilliant flowers, large, loose clusters of them, coming along in amazing profusion. Plant Pat. No. 1066. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each.**

PINK PARFAIT *Sensational 1961 All-America Winner*

A brand new Grandiflora from Armstrong Research—the only Grandiflora All-America Winner for 1961. This free-blooming beauty delicately blends pastel pinks (see page 2 for a complete description). Plant Pat. No. 1904. **\$3.50 each; 3 or more, \$3.10 each.**



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CHINESE JUJUBES

A small, graceful deciduous tree with lacy bright green foliage which makes a handsome ornamental and is hardy everywhere except in the northern plains states. Often the first year after planting, the tree will start bearing and each year will produce loads of unique fruits 2 inches or more in length and a rich mahogany-brown color when fully ripe. The fruits are sweet and crisp when eaten fresh and make excellent jam. Most often, though, they are candied to make a delicious confection, reminding one of a giant date. The tree grows easily anywhere producing the largest crops where summer heat is high. Fruit ripens in September and October.

Strong budded trees of either selected variety below, \$3.95 each.

Lang—The fruit, illustrated above, is about actual size.

Li—The fruit is somewhat larger than that of Lang, rounded, with flesh deliciously sweet and crisp.



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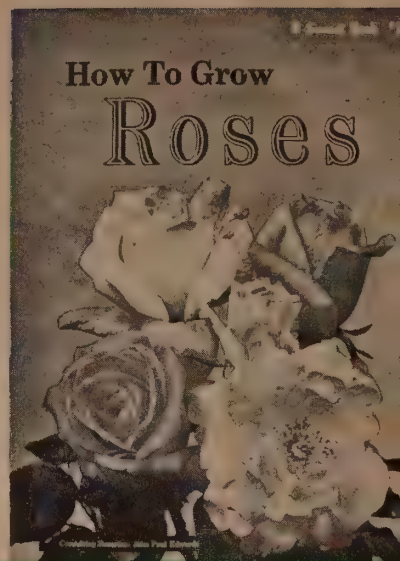
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LOOK WHAT YOU CAN DO WITH ROSES

Today, we are finding ever more and delightful ways to use roses for enriching our gardens, though the "old fashioned" formal rose garden will probably be with us as long as we have roses. With their gay colors, their everblooming habit, and wide choice of plant sizes and shapes, modern Armstrong roses bring a delightful element into a landscape planting which no other flower can achieve. Floribundas, now available in a wide range of colors and plant sizes, will fit into a hundred landscape situations.

Climbers, too, have come in for attention by clever landscapers. No longer confined to a trellis or arbor, today you can see them smothering a fence, decorating a lamp post, or used in many other ways. Hybrid 311 makes a perfect hedge, a living, gloriously blooming one, which is actually less expensive to install than ordinary fencing. Something entirely new in roses—a "natural" for use in rose landscaping is Armstrong's County Fair. This offers the imaginative gardener endless opportunity for surrounding his "castle" with beauty and color.

SPRING COLOR—SUMMER COLOR—FALL COLOR—ALL FROM ROSES

Garden color is the magical element which transforms an ordinary garden into a spectacular one. And the more of it you can have, the more pleasing your garden becomes. For all-season rose color, the popular new Floribundas and the even newer Grandifloras, are unchallenged champions. Floribunda actually means "lots of flowers" and that is exactly what these compact cluster-flowering roses will give you—flowers coming along throughout the entire season. The Grandifloras, too, bloom exuberantly all season with the flowers bursting out singly or in clusters. And every bloom is a high-centered beauty on a good stem.

Both Floribundas and Grandifloras are remarkably trouble-free and easy to grow anywhere. Whether you choose a low-growing Floribunda for a border or mass planting, or a taller Grandiflora for a "flowerful" medium-sized hedge, the specially tested and proved Armstrong varieties will take less care than the annuals or perennials which you ordinarily use for garden color. They will become a permanent, beautiful addition to your garden, giving you more color over a longer period than any other garden flower you could plant.



CLIMBERS HAVE HUNDREDS OF USES



Now there is a modern Armstrong climber of a size and color to fit most every garden need, whether it be improving the appearance of a rail or chain link fence, providing a cloak of color for a masonry wall, hiding an unsightly object from view, or providing a screen for privacy—one which will keep out wind and noise at the same time. Choose the big, fast-growing climbing sports of such famous Hybrid Teas as Peace or Charlotte Armstrong, and each spring enjoy hundreds of the same beautiful buds and blooms which have made these varieties world famous. More modest growers will be found

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ROSES TO ARRANGE

One of the greatest joys in growing roses comes from being able to cut the flowers and take their beauty and fragrance right into your home. Of course, the Hybrid Teas with their beautiful form, large flower size, fragrance and long sturdy stems are particularly appealing for cutting and arranging. Some of the new large-flowered Floribundas and all of the Grandifloras will give you armloads of cut flowers, too. Among the Grandifloras particularly, such kinds as Montezuma, Queen Elizabeth, El Capitan and our new All-America Award Winner Pink Parfait, will give you a continuous supply of long lasting flowers to cut.



PRAISES FOR ARMSTRONG ROSES AND SERVICE

Proof that the superior quality of Armstrong plants and the care with which they are handled and shipped does pay off in better growth and more bloom is borne out in these unsolicited "Thank you's" from pleased customers in all parts of the country.

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"Certainly appreciated the special attention you gave to selecting the rose bushes. They were excellent. It is a real pleasure to look to you as our source on bushes from year to year."

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"I think that you have the best bushes of any nursery I have ever

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From Mrs. H. E. C., Silver City, New Mexico:
"Your roses have grown exceedingly well for me and I am proud of each one in our garden."

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"I would like to say that out of the fifty rose bushes which I kept that were purchased from you last year (the others were gifts to friends) I have been most successful, even though I have broken all rules. In the Annual Standard Spring Flower Show in Savannah I won 13 blue ribbons! As you know, this show was held in April and my bushes were planted in January."

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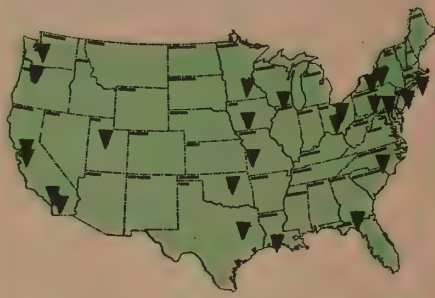
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				1127		HELEN TRAUBEL*	2.75	2.40		1298		STARFIRE*	3.00	2.65	
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				1136		JUNO*	2.50	2.20		1301		SUTTER'S GOLD*	2.25	2.00	
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1367	CL. BLAZE (IMPROVED)	\$1.95	\$1.70		ALBA PLENA	400	ANEMONE MONARCH De CAEN
1370	CL. BLOSSOMTIME*	2.50	2.20	600	3-yr. @ \$2.95 ea.		12 for \$2.95; 25 for \$5.45
1390	CL. CECILE BRUNNER	1.95	1.70	601	5-yr. @ \$9.45 ea.	470	RANUNCULUS TELOCOTE GIANT
1393	CL. CHAR. ARMSTRONG	1.95	1.70		BONNIE MARIE (Pat.)		12 for \$3.45; 25 for \$6.75
1395	CL. CHRYSLER*	2.75	2.40	607	3-yr. @ \$5.95 ea.	402	ANEMONE & RANUNCULUS COLLECTION
1397	CL. CRIMSON GLORY*	2.75	2.40	608	5-yr. @ \$17.95 ea.		25 of each, \$10.95
1471	CL. DR. J. H. NICHOLAS	1.95	1.70		CINDERELLA (Pat.)	Giant Hibiscus	
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These four roses
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BRAVO

When the sun burns the brightest and other red roses get the "blues," the fiery red of these big beauties glows brighter than ever. Each large, double high-centered flower with its broad wavy petals is a model of rose loveliness. The plant is a medium grower and the fragrance is fleeting—Bravo gives its all to color, size and form. Plant Pat. No. 983. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.**

GROW THEM

JUNO

The flowers are magnificent—real exhibition beauties, perfect in every detail. The color is clear rose to silvery-pink, warm and attractive in every stage, from the handsome bud to the big open flower, queenly as its namesake. The sturdy low-growing plant does not produce a great profusion of flowers, but every one is sheer rose perfection. Plant Pat. No. 895. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

SHOW THEM

CHIEF SEATTLE

In cooler areas, the huge, double high-centered flowers are a rich buff-apricot shading to old gold. In warmer areas, spring flowers may be lighter in color and often have a flush of pink. Everywhere, spring, summer or fall, the buds and flowers are beautifully formed, with broad wavy petals, heavy-textured and long-lasting. And wherever you grow roses, you'll find it a pleasure to grow a handsome, heavily foliated, big vigorous plant like this one. Plant Pat. No. 1030. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.**

Chief Seattle



NEW YORKER

Lovely buds open slowly to giant high-centered flowers of clear dazzling red—sometimes 6 inches across. It has a delightful fragrance to go with its brilliant color and plenty of long-lasting substance in the big velvety petals. In warm weather or cool, New Yorker is a red red which stays red until the last petal falls. The plant grows to medium size and in all areas produces a continuous succession of showy beauties. Plant Pat. No. 823. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

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HEART'S DESIRE

Beautiful buds and delightfully perfumed, big, double flowers with satiny petals of rich unfading red, are produced abundantly by this All-America winner. The medium size plant will produce a few flowers with weak necks, but you'll have so many, and such striking flowers that you won't mind this at all. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.**

COUNTESS VANDAL

Many lovely long buds, shading from salmon-pink to gold, open to graceful long-lasting flowers with plenty of old-fashioned rose fragrance. The vigorous plant thrives everywhere. Its fine garden performance and its wealth of graceful buds and bloomis, have made Countess Vandal a long-time favorite in the salmon-pink class. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.**

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Countess Vandal



DAINTY BESS

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Orange-red buds open slowly to big, brilliant exhibition blooms of flame shading to watermelon pink. And the flowers are as rich in fragrance as they are in color. The plant is a beauty, husky, and thickly covered with shining light green foliage. This will give you some of the most gorgeous early season flowers to be seen on a rosebush. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.**

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Perfect buds of pale ivory to white, open to large many-petaled flowers of snowy white, their loveliness enhanced by a delicate damask scent. The free-blooming plant grows to medium height and blooms freely. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.**



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Mme. Henri Guillot

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Regardless of soil or climate, robust Radiance never fails. Popular for over 40 years and still one of the most liked varieties because of its consistent wealth of big, fragrant silvery-pink buds and flowers on long stout stems. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.**

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Exactly the same as its sister, Radiance, except that the flowers are rich, cerise-red. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.**

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This old-time Hybrid Perpetual is still one of the best white roses for purity of color. The double 4-inch flowers are clean, clear white with no shading nor tints to sully their purity. The bush grows to beat the band, with arching canes often reaching 6 feet or more in a single season. Give this one lots of room. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.**

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Every garden needs a good, large-flowered white rose and we think this one is a standout. Beautiful, long tapering buds open slowly to high-centered classic blooms which are perfect, not only in form but in the clarity and cleanness of their coloring. The medium sized plant is well mannered and sturdy and it blooms consistently. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

Everblooming TREE ROSES

For Eye-Level Beauty

Grown in Tree Rose or "Standard" form, the Queen of Flowers flaunts her beauty in the most glorious way. The bushy heads on straight 3-foot trunks are nearly always in flower. Often they will produce more blooms of better quality than those found on the bush form of the same variety. With their greater height and compact habit of growth, Tree Roses show their blooms off to the very best advantage. They provide a breathtaking center of interest in any landscape planting, large or small, formal or casual.

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CHOOSE FROM THESE BEAUTIES

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BUCCANEER Perfect long buds and brilliant flowers of rich non-fading yellow. It's a yellow as clear, intense and lasting as you'll find in roses.

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CHRYSLER Red, red roses, beautiful in the bud and lovely when fully open. Richly fragrant.

DUET New two-toned pink All-America Winner for 1961. See page 3 for a full description.

EL CAPITAN It will be one of your favorites for cutting with more lovely long-stemmed buds and velvety, brilliant red flowers than you can count.

HEAT WAVE Buds and flowers are slightly smaller than those of a Hybrid Tea but you get twice as many—each a beautiful little rose of fiery Chinese-Red.

HELEN TRAUBEL Long tapering buds and perfect blooms of warm pink, richly suffused with apricot. Fragrant, too.

PINK PARFAIT Dainty pastel-pink shades. Brand new All-America Winner for 1961. See page 2 for a full description.

QUEEN ELIZABETH Double long-lasting blooms of lovely orchid-pink in a showy profusion.

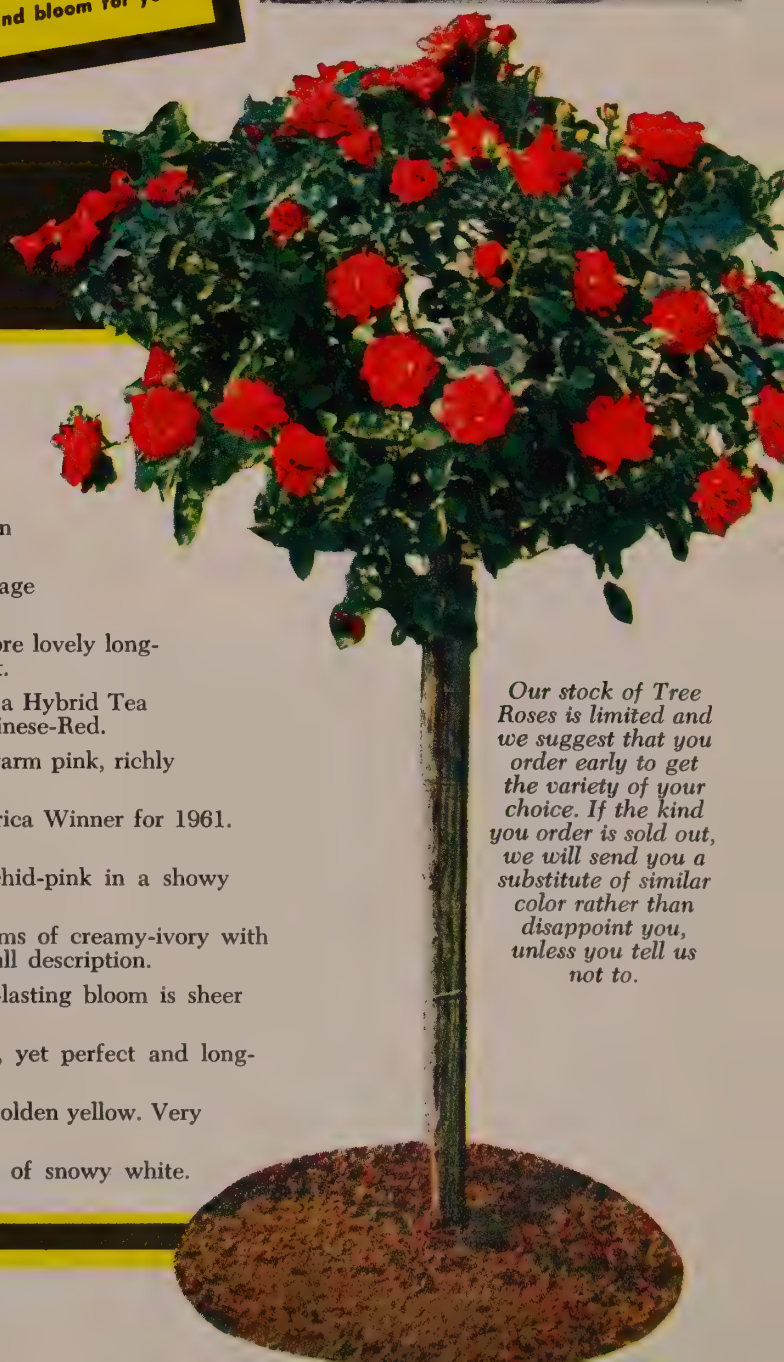
GARDEN PARTY Marvelous long-tapering buds and giant blooms of creamy-ivory with a subtle kiss of pink at the edge of each petal. See page 5 for a full description.

MONTEZUMA Eye-catching scarlet-orange. Each bud and long-lasting bloom is sheer rose perfection. Marvelous for cutting.

PEACE Yellow, buff, cream, and pink. Blooms are lovely—huge, yet perfect and long-lasting. One of the world's greatest roses.

SUTTER'S GOLD Long tapering buds and handsome flowers of golden yellow. Very fragrant.

WHITE KNIGHT Beautifully shaped buds and flawless flowers of snowy white.



Our stock of Tree Roses is limited and we suggest that you order early to get the variety of your choice. If the kind you order is sold out, we will send you a substitute of similar color rather than disappoint you, unless you tell us not to.



Circus

For thrilling garden drama, here is a Floribunda to give you more excitement than the center ring in the "Big Top." And there is constant fascination in the ever-changing tones of yellow, orange, buff, pink and red, with all these breathtaking colors often seen in the big flower clusters at one time!

There is more to Circus than color for the little urn shaped buds are beautifully styled and so are the high-centered 3-inch flowers. They are fragrant and have marvelous lasting qualities. Circus' dazzling display of color is set off by abundant dark green foliage in a compact, well rounded plant—ideal in size for use in a border, low hedge or mass planting. Just one plant of Circus is worth having for its show of garden color and for the many flowers you'll cut. Plant Pat. No. 1382.
**\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each; 12 or more, \$2.00 each;
 25 or more, \$1.90 each.**



The Greatest Rose Show on Earth!

FLORIBUNDAS

Cluster flowering Floribundas are the gayest of garden flowers with more bloom and with greater continuity of bloom than annuals or perennials. They are hardy to cold, vigorous and easily cared for. Planted singly, in a border, hedge, or a mass planting, these roses will transform your garden into glowing, radiant carnival color—give you plenty of flowers for cutting, too.

**Most Colorful—Most Useful
 Most Fascinating Floribunda**

CIRCUS

**ARMSTRONG
 ALL-AMERICA
 AWARD WINNER**



Sarabande



SARABANDE

This vivid French rose is sure to catch every eye. In addition to its All-America honors, Sarabande has won acclaim everywhere in Europe. Semi-single blooms of fiery orange-scarlet in big clusters, each flower dotted with a tuft of golden stamens, provide a near continuous blaze of garden color from early season until late. It is a low compact grower, ideal for a low rose hedge or border. Plant Pat. No. 1761. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

FIRE KING

Like Sarabande, this All-America Winner also comes from France. This, though, is very double, the 2½ to 3-inch blooms of iridescent vermillion having 45 to 50 petals. The bright flowers appear regularly in heavy clusters on an extremely vigorous tall growing plant—a plant which is outstanding for its thick handsome foliage. The fiery flowers have marvelous lasting qualities when cut. Plant Pat. No. 1758. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**



**Both Sarabande and Fire King are
 winners of All-America honors.**

Fire King



GAY & COLORFUL

Perfect Low Border or Hedge Rose

Ruby Lips



Pinkie

**ARMSTRONG
ALL-AMERICA
AWARD WINNER**

Pinkie

Daintiness, charm and artistic appeal go hand in hand in each Lilliputian flower of Pinkie. It is an entirely different Floribunda type with a bushy little plant seldom over 20 inches tall. Spring, summer and fall the plants are literally loaded with slender little pink buds, as perfect as a rose bud could be, and double 2-inch flowers of dainty porcelain-pink. Small, finely-cut foliage, glossy and bright green, forms a perfect background for the masses of spicily fragrant flowers. Pinkie is perfect as a low hedge or border rose, but wherever you plant it, the blanket of flowers and the cheerful pink color will be a highlight of your garden. Plant Pat. No. 712. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 12 or more, \$1.60 each; 25 or more, \$1.50 each.**

Green Fire

GREEN FIRE

A color magician with its near fabulous show of vivid yellow, appearing at times to have a hint of chartreuse. The semi-double 3-inch flowers, big clusters of them, hold their bright color until the last petal drops cleanly from each bloom. The plant is vigorous, compact, medium in size and nearly always a sunshiny floral attraction. Plant Pat. No. 1776. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each; 12 or more, \$1.80 each; 25 or more, \$1.70 each.**

RUBY LIPS

An alluring "sheet blooming" Floribunda. From the season's beginning until its end, it is clothed with a flaming mantle of 3½-inch semi-double blooms of fiery red. Big panicles of the long-lasting colorfast flowers almost hide the bushy medium sized plant. For brilliant red garden color month after month, color bright and rich regardless of the weather, this rose is tops. Plant Pat. No. 1775. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each; 12 or more, \$1.80 each; 25 or more, \$1.70 each.**

Ivory Fashion

IVORY FASHION

Attractive buds open to creamy-white 4-inch blooms, high-centered, fully double and as large as those of many Hybrid Teas. The husky plant, low to medium in height, blooms prodigiously. Ivory Fashion justifies its All-America honors by the good garden manners of the plant and by its consistent production of the big fragrant blooms in all areas. Plant Pat. No. 1688. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each; 25 or more, \$2.00 each.**

SPECIAL OFFERS

One plant each of 3 All-America Floribundas, Circus, Fire King and Sarabande. **OFFER NO. 117 \$6⁴⁵**

One each of the "Garden Color" Floribundas, Pinkie, Ruby Lips and Green Fire. **OFFER NO. 118 \$5⁷⁵**



FLORIBUNDAS FOR BORDERS

Heat Wave

HEAT WAVE *Tops for Color—for Cutting*

Each bud and medium sized bloom is perfect—rose form at its very best. And Heat Wave's color fairly sizzles—fiery Chinese red with highlights of currant and a sheen of persimmon. Month after month there is a never ending parade of long-lasting buds and blooms in the most modern of rose colors, each on a sturdy stem for cutting. The plant is a little above average Floribunda height, compact and well foliated. Heat Wave is a rose which is extra colorful in the garden and extra useful for indoor bouquets. Plant Pat. No. 1786. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each; 12 or more, \$2.20 each; 25 or more, \$2.05 each.**

Spartan

LAVENDER GIRL *A New Color Sensation*

Something exciting for your garden? Little ruby-red buds open to 3-inch very double blooms with petals of rosy purple on the inside, magenta on the reverse! They gradually fade with age to an over-all rich lavender. The low bushy plant, somewhat spreading, blooms heavily all season. Plant Pat. No. 1672. **\$5.00 each; 3 or more, \$4.25 each.**

CHINA DOLL *A Perfect Low Border Rose*

It's miraculous how a small plant can flower as heavily and continuously as this. It outblooms any perennial or annual, with clusters of bright, cheerful pink flowers so thick that the foliage is hidden. The plant is very dwarf (18 inches or so), making it perfect for a low hedge or border. Plant. Pat. No. 678. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each; 12 or more, \$1.80 each; 25 or more, \$1.70 each.**

WHITE BOUQUET

This All-America Winner is unusual because of the large size and spicy fragrance of its creamy-white flowers. Big, semi-double, gardenia-like flowers appear constantly on a compact 1½ to 2 feet plant. Plant Pat. No. 1415. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each; 25 or more, \$2.00 each.**

SUMMER SNOW *Left*

A low compact plant with shining light green foliage and cluster after cluster of small, snowy-white double flowers all season long. An ideal white Floribunda for massing or for a rose border. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each; 12 or more, \$1.45 each; 25 or more, \$1.35 each.**

GOLDILOCKS *Not illustrated*

Little shiny buds, clear golden yellow in color, open slowly to perfect little high-centered roses, 2½ inches across. Low growing to medium, the plant blooms very freely. Plant Pat. No. 672. **\$1.75 each, 3 or more, \$1.55 each; 25 or more, \$1.40 each.**

Lavender Girl

China Doll in a colorful border

HEDGES - MASS COLOR



SPARTAN *Left*

Delightful little buds open to perfectly formed, high-centered little roses of sparkling orange-red aging to softer salmon-orange. The tall vigorous plant provides unusual garden color—plenty of sweet-smelling flowers for cutting, too. Plant Pat. No. 1357. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each; 25 or more, \$2.00 each.**

GOLD CUP *Right*

Handsome buds and big, 3½-inch, cup-shaped, semi-double bloom of rich yellow-gold are features of this All-America Winner. Low and spreading, the plant has glossy mildew-resistant foliage and it blooms freely. Plant Pat. No. 1683. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 25 or more, \$1.60 each.**

BETTY PRIOR

Day in, day out the plant is always a riotous mass of dainty 5-petaled blooms. And day after day, the color is a clean, cheerful shell-pink with a dot of golden stamens. As to the plant, "Betty" is buxom, large and spreading to 4 feet or more. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each; 12 or more, \$1.45 each; 25 or more, \$1.35 each.**

FLORADORA

The bright scarlet-orange is a color which demands attention—and gets it, too. Dainty buds, perfect for cutting, open to medium sized flowers with 50 or more long-lasting petals. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each; 12 or more, \$1.45 each; 25 or more, \$1.35 each.**

MA PERKINS

Sparkling salmon-pink with a dash of gold and flush of red are the colors of this All-America Winner. Double, 2 to 3-inch flowers of fine form and a delightful fragrance are borne freely on a vigorous, 2½ to 3-foot plant. Plant Pat. No. 1143. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 25 or more, \$1.60 each.**

WILDFIRE

Big semi-double blooms with wide-flaring petals appear in huge sprays which envelop the entire plant in a showy mantle of flaming scarlet. For a colorful bouquet which will last for days, snip off a spray or two. Robust medium-sized plant. Plant Pat. No. 1381. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 12 or more, \$1.60 each; 25 or more, \$1.50 each.**

PINOCCHIO (*Not illustrated*)

Rose perfection in miniature is seen in every dainty bud and high-centered bloom of pink and gold. The fragrance is perfect, too. A husky plant, 2 to 2½ feet. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each; 12 or more, \$1.45 each; 25 or more, \$1.35 each.**

RED PINOCCHIO (*Not illustrated*)

The same fine bud and flower form as Pinocchio, but the color is deep satiny-red, rich and unfading. Medium upright plant, quite hardy. Plant Pat. No. 812. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each; 25 or more, \$1.40 each.**



Ma Perkins

Floradora



Wildfire



Betty Prior





REDCAP *Above*

Large frilly-petaled blooms of fiery red in huge clusters crown the bushy 3-foot plant all season long. A spray or two will make a big, bright, long-lasting bouquet. Plant Pat. No. 1292. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 12 or more, \$1.60 each; 25 or more, \$1.50 each.**

FROLIC *Above*

Compact, rounded plant of medium size blanketed with huge sprays of deep pink blooms, right down to the ground. Always a great show of garden color and plenty of flowers to cut for indoors, too. Plant Pat. No. 1179. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 12 or more, \$1.60 each; 25 or more, \$1.50 each.**

Starlet



STARLET

Every tiny bud and high-centered opening flower is a perfect rose in miniature—a bright little beauty of shining buttercup-yellow. A never ending procession of flowers is borne on a handsome medium sized plant. Plant Pat. No. 1694. **\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each; 12 or more, \$1.80 each; 25 or more, \$1.70 each.**

GARNETTE *Not illustrated*

For long lasting little "sweetheart" red roses to cut, you can't beat Garnette. The many-petaled blooms of rich ruby-red are borne continuously in clusters of 15 to 20 on a bushy plant, only 18 to 20 inches tall. **\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each; 12 or more, \$1.45 each; 25 or more, \$1.35 each.**

FUSILIER

The 3 to 3½-inch flowers of this All-America Winner are flaming scarlet-orange in color, fully double with up to 40 ruffled petals. The showy flowers are brought along continuously on a tall "soldierly" plant, its uniform a mantle of bright gay color. Plant Pat. No. 1709. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each; 25 or more, \$2.00 each.**

JIMINY CRICKET

Masses of tangerine colored buds and 3½-inch flowers of rich coral-orange glow like dancing flames from among shiny green leaves. Even as the flowers of this All-America Winner age, the color remains a pleasing salmon-orange. A bushy medium sized plant blooms profusely. Plant Pat. No. 1346. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 25 or more, \$1.60 each.**

Jiminy Cricket

SPECIAL OFFER

One each of the 5 Floribundas illustrated on this page, Redcap, Frolic, Starlet, Fusilier and Jiminy Cricket.

OFFER NO. 119 **\$8⁹⁵**
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Fusilier

COLORFUL
Your Garden
Every Day
Easy to Grow -





VALENTINE *Above*

Filly 2½-inch flowers of glowing traffic-signal red in big clusters, completely cover the 1½ to 2-foot plant. The compact plant in constant bloom makes Valentine ideal for a colorful low hedge or border. Plant Pat. No. 1029. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 12 or more, \$1.60 each; 25 or more, \$1.50 each.**

EMBERS *Above*

Eye-catching scarlet flowers which glow with all the brilliancy of a red-hot coal—and they're at their best and brightest in the warmest weather. A big, 3 to 4 foot plant, densely covered with holly-like foliage. Plant Pat. No. 1178. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 12 or more, \$1.60 each; 25 or more, \$1.50 each.**

FLORIBUNDAS

Aglow With Roses of the Season

Hardy — Spectacular!

VOGUE

The countless little flame-red buds of this All-America Winner open one after another until the entire cluster of ten or more becomes a beautiful floral spray. Each little bud is a long slender beauty which opens to a semi-double flower about 2½ inches across and a rich, deep coral-pink in color. A vigorous plant, rather open in habit, grows 2½ to 3 feet tall and is continually aglow with brightly colored flower clusters. Plant Pat. No. 926. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 25 or more, \$1.60 each.**

MOONSPRITE

There is a place for this in every garden, a light bright Floribunda which will blend perfectly with every neighboring plant. The handsome, low to medium plant is almost continuously decked out with very double, long lasting, chrysanthemum-like blooms, 2 to 2½ inches across. Pale gold at the heart of the flower gives way to snowy white at the outer edges. Plant Pat. No. 1450. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 12 or more, \$1.60 each; 25 or more, \$1.50 each.**

FASHION

An outstanding All-America Winner and probably the most widely planted of all Floribundas. Little buds, perfect for buttonhole or bud vase, open to semi-double blooms, a unique blend of coral and gold in color. The 2 to 2½-foot plant is seldom without a show of flowers. Plant Pat. No. 789. **\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each; 25 or more, \$1.60 each.**

Fashion



SPECIAL OFFER

One big husky plant each of Fashion, Moonsprite, Vogue and Embers.

OFFER NO. 120

\$6⁹⁵
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Moonsprite





Improved Climbing Blaze

CLIMBING ROSES

For garden color, a big breathtaking splash of it, Climbing Roses are champions. In a small garden space and with little care, they will soon cover a wall, fence, arbor or unsightly object with bright green foliage and glowing color.

IMPROVED CLIMBING BLAZE

When each of its many canes is clothed solidly with vivid blooms, this climber becomes a garden feature which attracts every eye. A new improved strain, this differs from the popular spring-blooming Blaze in its habit of continuing right on blooming after a spring color extravaganza. It will keep your garden alive with burst after burst of fiery scarlet bloom. Grows vigorously; hardy, too. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

CLIMBING CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG

The bush form of this great rose is known world-wide as the finest rose of all among the light reds. Now you can enjoy the same long tapering buds and beautifully formed open flowers of carmine-red to cerise—hundreds of them at once—on a big, vigorous climbing plant. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

CLIMBING CHRYSLER

Plant one of these big vigorous climbers on an arbor or against a wall and when it is covered with the famous, big, fragrant, red red beauties which won an All-America Award for the bush form, you will say it's the best buy in beauty you have ever made. Plant Pat. No. 1528. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

Climbing Chrysler

Climbing Etoile de Hollande

CLIMBING ETOILE DE HOLLANDE

The big, good-looking plant will cover a lot of space and at the same time produce a myriad of the lovely buds and glowing red blooms which have made Etoile de Hollande a world-wide favorite. Actually, the climber often has larger flowers on better stems than what you'll find on the bush form. And they're fragrant, too! **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

CLIMBING CRIMSON GLORY

One of America's favorite red Hybrid Teas and one of the hardiest. The big crimson blooms are just as attractive and just as wonderfully fragrant as those found on the bush form. And they appear by the hundreds. Plant Pat. No. 736. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

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sent free with
each order.

*Climbing
Crimson Glory*



**Climbing
Forty-niner**



CLIMBING CECILE BRUNNER *Not illustrated*

This famous "baby" flowered Polyanthus was a favorite in grandmother's day and it has lost none of its charm down through the years. Petite little buds and elfin blooms of dainty pink, shaded salmon, cover the vigorous medium-sized plant in clouds. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

CLIMBING PEACE

The large robust plant with its thick mantle of shining green foliage is a lovely sight when studded with the huge cream, gold and pink flowers. They are just as lovely and long-stemmed as those which have made the bush form of this variety the rose which the American Rose Society ranks first of all. Plant Pat. No. 932. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**



Climbing Peace

**ARMSTRONG ROSES
ARE GUARANTEED
TO GROW AND BLOOM**

**YOU CAN PLANT
ARMSTRONG ROSES
WITH CONFIDENCE**

CLIMBING FORTY-NINER

The face of the petals is vivid crimson while the reverse is yellow! This brilliant and striking color combination will attract attention anywhere and the big fast-growing climbing form will give you hundreds of the unique flowers on long stems for cutting. Plant Pat. No. 1094. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

CLIMBING SHOW GIRL

This Armstrong variety is famous for its beautiful buds of rich deep pink. They are huge yet perfect in every detail, as are the big double flowers. The strong fast-growing plant of the climbing form will give you loads of the lovely blooms to admire on a fence or trellis, or to cut for indoors. Plant Pat. No. 892. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**



**Climbing
Show Girl**

CLIMBING BLOSSOMTIME

There is a place in every garden for a handsomely foliaged 6-to-8-foot pillar type climber which is covered from spring to fall with buds and blooms. And it is frost hardy. Beautiful little buds open to double high-centered flowers of cameo-pink with the reverse of the petals a deeper rose-pink. It's a coloring as clean and fresh as the first day of spring. A sweet fragrance and long-lasting flowers are extra virtues. Plant Pat. No. 1240. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**



**Climbing
Blossomtime**

From Mr. P. T. A., Warrenville, Ill.

"Last spring I set out roses obtained from five of the better known rose firms in the country—two from the East, two from the West (including you) and one from Texas. All were planted in a new bed which had been prepared for them and all received identical care. "Today your roses are spoiling the symmetry of the garden because they are so superior in appearance and growth to any of the others."

For Most
Bloom

ARMSTRONG



Paul's Scarlet

CLIMBING PAUL'S SCARLET

Long famous for its ability to cover a fence, trellis or arbor with a solid mantle of flaming color. The vivid scarlet flowers are semi-double, coming in large clusters which almost hide the plant from view. They do not fade even in the warmest weather. A husky medium-sized plant which grows well everywhere. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

CLIMBING PICTURE

Where you get dozens of blooms on the bush form of this popular pink variety, you'll get hundreds of beautiful, long-stemmed perfectly-formed buds and lovely blooms. Each is a "perfect picture" of clear rose-pink, nicely fragrant, too. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**



Climbing Picture

CLIMBING MONA LISA

The charm of this climber lies in the size and lovely rose form of each of the big, 5½-inch blooms. They are high-centered beauties with many firm, lasting petals, warm pink in color and enchantingly fragrant. The plant is a vigorous pillar type, growing to 10 or 12 feet in height. Unlike many climbers which bloom only in spring, Mona Lisa continues to bloom moderately all season after a big show of spring flowers. Plant Pat. No. 1459. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

Climbing Mona Lisa



CLIMBING HIGH NOON

Captured sunshine—the brightest, clearest yellow imaginable and it stays clear and lovely until the last petal drops. After a magnificent show of spring color, High Noon continues with a wealth of golden buds and flowers throughout the season. A handsome pillar type plant growing 8 to 12 feet tall, it is truly everblooming. If damaged by freezing weather, new canes will grow 6 feet or more the next spring and flower while doing so. Plant Pat. No. 704. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

*CLIMBING MRS. SAM McGREDY

The rich coppery-orange color which one sees in the lovely long-stemmed buds and double flowers of this variety is exclusively its own. No rose is quite like it. The plant grows vigorously and has lots of handsome, bronzy-green foliage which is a perfect complement for the flower color. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

*CLIMBING DR. J. H. NICHOLAS

A beautiful 8 to 10 foot pillar rose, its handsome, dark green foliage studded with magnificent blooms of deep rose-pink, 5 to 6 inches across, with 50 or more petals, and with a rich fragrance. Flowers are borne singly on long stems all season long. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

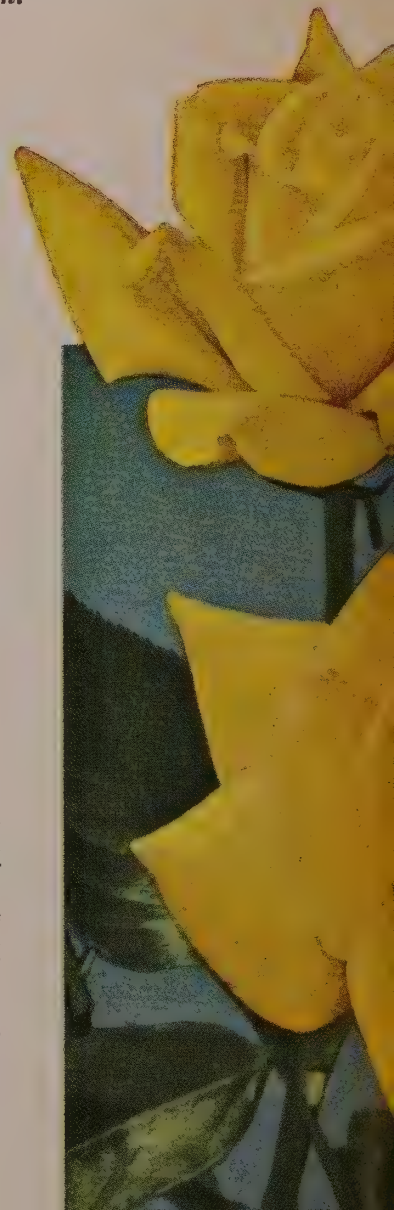
*CLIMBING NEW DAWN

Marvelous in the garden—ideal for cutting. The big fast-growing plant blooms heavily in spring and continues until frost with a wealth of pointed buds and lovely double flowers of appleblossom pink. They've a rich old rose fragrance, too. Probably our hardest climber. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

*CLIMBING WHITE DAWN

Large, glistening, snowy-white flowers which resemble gardenias. Appearing usually in clusters, but sometimes singly, the individual flowers have 35 or more heavy petals and each flower is richly fragrant. The sparkling blooms are borne lavishly in the spring and then the big strong-growing plant repeats with bursts of bloom throughout the summer and fall. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

**Varieties marked with an asterisk (*) above, not illustrated.*



CLIMBING ROSES

CLIMBING TALISMAN

Planted along a fence, against a wall or over a trellis, the big spreading plant becomes a glorious spectacle of spring color when every cane is loaded with the flaming red and gold flowers. With this in your garden, you will not have to depend upon the florist for those marvelous long-stemmed, beautifully shaped Talisman buds. **\$1.95 each; 3 or more, \$1.70 each.**

CLIMBING TEXAS CENTENNIAL

It is hard to believe, but the long, brick-red buds and huge open flowers are usually larger and more lovely on this climber than what you will find on the bush form. It is a big vigorous grower, which will give you all kinds of long-stemmed brilliantly colored buds and flowers for cutting. Plant Pat. No. 565. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

CLIMBING SUTTER'S GOLD

You will strike gold when you plant this! The big vigorous plant will send up canes quickly, each yielding a bonanza of long-pointed buds and lovely golden blooms. You'll have plenty to cut and those which you leave will scent your entire garden with their fragrance. Plant Pat. No. 1185. **\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.**

CLIMBING GOLDEN SHOWERS

Enchanting and truly everblooming with buds and blooms of daffodil yellow borne lavishly from early spring until late fall. The plant is a pillar type (10 to 12 feet), sending up many strong canes in a hurry. This will give you an ever-ready source of flowers for cutting—each flower on a long, almost-thornless stem. Plant Pat. No. 1557. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**

CLIMBING PINKIE

The compact, thickly-foliaged 6 to 8 foot plant with its unbelievable masses of bloom is exactly right for many garden spots where an ordinary climber would be too large. Just as the picture below indicates, the burst of spring bloom is so heavy that you'll have to look hard to see the foliage under it. And the delightful little pink buds and flowers are the same diminutive beauties which won an All-America Award for the bush Pinkie. And an added feature—this amazing little climber differs from most others by continuing to flower freely throughout the summer and fall. Plant Pat. No. 1076. **\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.**



**Everblooming
Climbing
High Noon**

**Climbing
Talisman**

**Climbing Texas
Centennial**

**Climbing
Sutter's Gold**

Climbing Pinkie

**Climbing
Golden Showers**



Now
Years Ahead!



Everblooming

FENCE ROSE

HYBRID 311

This is not an oldtime Rambler resurrected as a fence rose, but a new rose created by the Armstrong Research Department specifically to fill the need for a "fence" or "hedge" rose which grows erectly and compactly as a hedge plant should and which is everblooming in every modern sense of the word.

Mrs. A. H. K., Fort Wayne, Indiana, Says—

"You should see my beautiful Fence Rose No. 311—it's unbelievable how a little plant can grow so very beautiful. It's 3½ ft. high, very bushy and compact—and most of all, disease resistant. Believe me, I'll have more of them next year."

Dr. J. J. M., Bellevue, Washington Says—

"We have liked the fence rose #311 very much; the buds are exquisite and the bushes are so full and thick for the first year."

Mr. F. S. T., Louisville, Kentucky, Says—

"Your Living Fence Rose is the greatest flower bargain I know."

It Blooms Continuously This is no sprawling thicket-like Multiflora, nor is it a leggy, "spring only" bloomer like Ragged Robin. It is a true fence rose which almost continuously, spring until frost, is loaded with clusters of medium-sized semi-double flowers of vivid red. And it holds its bright color, rich and lively, even in the warmest of weathers.

Neat—Compact—Easy Maintenance The plant is bushy and upright with an abundance of handsome glossy foliage. It grows 4 to 5 feet in height (more in the South and West with light pruning). In hardiness, it will compare with the average Hybrid Tea or Floribunda, needing some winter protection in very cold areas. If frozen, the plant should come back quickly with foliage and flowers in a single season. For a quick dense hedge, set the plants about 18 inches apart; use 24-inch spacing in milder climates or where a rapid "fill in" is not so important.

Plant Pat. No. 1885. **Bare root plants shipped postpaid in units of 5 only. 5 for \$3.95; 10 for \$6.95; 25 for \$15.95; 50 for \$27.95; 100 for \$48.95.**



Hybrid 311 is perfect for "containing" children or pets. Gives you privacy and permanent landscape beauty.



Keeps out intruders and absorbs traffic noises. Prevents "cross-lawn" traffic.



ROSES WITH 1000 USES

Glowing Color All Season Long

Now you can own a living fence which is a vivid curtain of color up to 5 feet tall or even higher, or a beautiful rose border at a price far below what you would ordinarily pay for fencing material or even for ordinary Floribunda roses. With Armstrong's new Everblooming Roses, your grounds will blaze with brilliant color all season long. Hybrid 311 will provide a vivid barrier of color up to 5 feet tall—or higher, while County Fair will give you masses of glowing color in a low hedge or border unequalled in any other plant you can name. Use Hybrid 311 and County Fair singly or in glorious combination—

to fence in a safe play area for your children and pets, provide a secluded nook for relaxation and sun bathing, to prevent the entry of intruders, to hide an unsightly utility area, to border a driveway or walk, to mark off property boundaries or for colorful backgrounds. You'll be able to think of *scores* of other uses for these roses and you'll be able to afford them all—as these new Armstrong roses are amazingly economical. For instance, you can enjoy a 200-foot stretch of rich greenery studded with colorful roses for as little as 29c per ft. Easy to maintain, too.

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COUNTY FAIR



A new model rose with a world of glamour and hundreds of garden uses. County Fair is unique, a garden showpiece, its sturdy plants constantly aglow with masses of dainty little buds opening to semi-double flowers $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 inches across. In a solid sheet of bloom, the lively rose pink of the newly opened flowers is perfectly complemented by the soft light pink of the older flowers to give a refreshing over-all symphony of pink tones. No dull dingy color spoils the floral spectacle, even as the last petal falls cleanly away to make room for the next cloud of bloom waiting to burst forth.

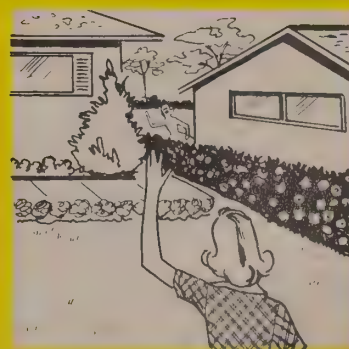
Armstrong is producing County Fair by a revolutionary, mass-production method enabling us to offer inexpensive plants which can be used in quantity for a 3 to 4 foot rose "fence" or a border or a mass planting. Anyone can grow County Fair, no need to be an expert. When you can see the foliage peeking from under the flowers, you'll find it luxuriant and glossy green right down to the ground—remarkably healthy and disease-resistant, too. Spring pruning is simple. Just shear the plant as you would a hedge or specimen shrub. Plant Pat. No. 1897. **Bare root plants shipped postpaid in units of 5 only. 5 for \$4.95; 10 for \$8.45; 25 for \$17.45; 50 for \$32.45; 100 for \$59.95.**



It's a never ending show of cheerful color mass-planted in a bed or used in a low hedge or border.



County Fair gives you a colorful property "divider" without spoiling vistas of adjacent properties.



GLORIOUS ARMSTRONG

Along the Pacific Coast and throughout the temperate South, camellias with their glossy evergreen foliage and exquisite winter flowers are a beautiful addition to any planting. Plants of most varieties (except Reticulatas like Buddha) are quite hardy (0° to 10°). Flower buds may suffer from freezing weather so fall flowering kinds are best bets for marginal areas. Many growers in very cold areas are enjoying camellias by growing them under glass or in tubs or boxes which may be moved to shelter.

Sizes & Shipping The 3 year old plants average 1½ to 2 feet in height, larger 5-year-old plants are 2½ to 3 feet tall. Some kinds will be somewhat lower in height, but more spreading.

From October to April, bare root plants are shipped with transportation charges prepaid, guaranteed to arrive in perfect condition.

NOTE: California buyers preferring their plants shipped in containers with soil intact may so specify. In such cases, the plants are packed without cost, but transportation charges are collected upon delivery. Plants in containers can be shipped at any time of the year. Southern California buyers will receive camellia plants in containers delivered by Armstrong trucks.

All-America Camellias After competing against the finest new introductions which the camellia world has had to offer, and after 3 full years of continuous testing in some of America's foremost camellia gardens, the experts from coast to coast have chosen these as best—fine enough to merit a coveted All-America Camellia Award.



CAMELLIA

ALL-AMERICA WINNERS FOR 1961



BONNIE MARIE *Above*

This All-America Winner for 1961 is more than just another camellia—it is one of the finest flowering shrubs anyone can plant—beautiful as to flower and foliage. Large 4½ to 5-inch phlox-pink blooms of fluted semi-double to anemone form are carried profusely on a bushy upright plant—one which can stand full sun or will be equally at home in shade. Testers have noted temperatures down to 10° without loss of a bud. One of the best things about this remarkable new Saluenensis hybrid is its extremely long blooming season. The first bloom often appears in mid-November and the plant will continue flowering through March. Plant Pat. No. 1801. **3-year plants, \$5.95; 5-year, \$17.95.**

KING'S RANSOM *Left*

This winner of America's highest "new variety" Award is a gorgeous Southern belle, coming from Magnolia Gardens near Charleston, South Carolina, where prized camellias have been grown for over a hundred years. The flowers are big, 4½-inch, peony-like beauties of soft warm pink deepening rather than fading with age. With small tufts of golden stamens peeking from among the broad wavy petals, the flower resembles a giant bloom of the popular Debutante. The fast-growing upright plant with handsome foliage seems to tolerate more sun than most of the Japonica varieties. It is an early mid-season bloomer which sets plenty of flower buds and opens each one perfectly. Plant Pat. No. 1800. **3-year plants, \$5.95; 5-year, \$17.95.**

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ALL-AMERICA COLLECTION

One big, sturdy Armstrong plant of each of the two All-America Camellia Winners for 1961, Bonnie Marie and King's Ransom.

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CAMELLIAS



SPARKLING BURGUNDY *Above*

This was the first Sasanqua to receive All-America honors and now being called by many, "The best of all Sasanquas." The flower is large, 3½ to 4 inches across, with many wavy petals and petaloids in an informal peony-like arrangement. The color is an unusual ruby-rose, often overlaid with an opalescent sheen of lavender.

The upright plant, with its beautiful foliage, offers all sorts of possibilities for landscape use. It makes a magnificent evergreen shrub which can be grown in sun as well as shade and which for weeks, commencing in early October, is covered from top to bottom with the showy flowers. Plant Pat. No. 1539. **3-year plants, \$4.95; 5-year, \$15.95.**



SWEETHEART *Left*

With its soft color and fine form, Sweetheart is one of the loveliest camellias ever to grace a garden. Double, 3½ to 4-inch blooms of soft pink seldom have a misplaced petal to spoil their perfect form. Often this variety will flower in late fall with the Daikagura strains, then keep right on producing beautiful flowers right along with the mid-season kinds. The plant is a bushy vigorous grower of medium size, displaying its lovely flowers against a background of handsome dark green foliage. Plant Pat. No. 1562. **3-year plants, \$4.95; 5-year, \$15.95.**



Flirtation

**Armstrong's
Amazing
Flowering Shrub**

Flirtation

A happy result of Armstrong Research, a cross between the large-flowered *Camellia japonica* and a rugged, sun-hardy type—and one of the most beautiful and useful garden shrubs imaginable. Flirtation grows readily in full sun or shade, and with a bit of pruning, you can easily train it into almost any desired shape—to fit into any garden spot.

For nearly two months, starting in February or March, the thickly foliated plant stages a magnificent show, when covered with dainty, pink 3 to 3½-inch flowers, each with six graceful petals surrounding a tuft of golden stamens. Flirtation brings a new note of beauty into the camellia family. And its spring show of color makes it more desirable than any other garden shrub. Plant Pat. Applied for. **3-year plants, \$5.95; 5-year plants, \$17.95.**

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THREE WINNERS

One plant each of Sparkling Burgundy,
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Offer No. 861

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CAMELLIAS

Prices on all varieties below except Cinderella, 3-year plants, \$2.95 each; 5-year, \$9.45 each.

ALBA PLENA Lives up to its reputation as the "perfect white." High-centered, double flowers which never have a petal out of place and never show a stamen. Blooms early.

DEBUTANTE Its dainty shell-pink coloring, its medium size and the graceful peony-like arrangement of its frilly petals make this an ideal corsage flower. Blooms early.

GLEN 40 A glorious formal-double with broad petals of rich red. An orange undertone reflects light to make the blooms glow like hot coals. Mid-season.

HIGH HAT Peony-like flowers of soft shell-pink, with veinings of rose-pink. Blooms very early, often in October.

ELEANOR HAGOOD A lovely, large, high-crowned formal flower of soft pink. Looks just like a giant Pink Perfection. Blooms late.

JOSHUA YOUTZ Graceful informal flower with rows of wavy white petals lightly touched with pink. Blooms very early.

HERME (*Jordan's Pride*) Semi-double flowers of pink with a broad irregular border of white. A beautiful plant and a profuse bloomer. Midseason.

MATHOTIANA (*Julia Drayton*) Huge, rose-formed flowers with broad overlapping petals of rich glowing red. Usually has a bud-like center as illustrated, but occasionally will show stamens. Midseason to late.

ALL-AMERICA WINNER

CINDERELLA The flower is unique with big fluted petals of rose-pink bordered with snowy-white. A big, fast-growing, free-blooming plant. Often has a few very early flowers with peak bloom in midseason. **3-year plants, \$4.95; 5-year, \$15.95.**

*Luminous red
Glen 40*

*Dainty
Debutante*

CORSAGE COLLECTION

One plant each of three of our finest, Alba Plena, Glen 40, Debutante. You save nearly \$2.00.

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Fruit and flowers of Saturn Peach. The flowers are about twice the size shown here and the fruit about one-third larger.

Flowers-Fruit, Too!

SATURN

New Fruiting-Flowering Peach

Now, as never before, you can plant just one peach tree and enjoy all the advantages of two! This achievement of Armstrong Research gives you both flowers and fruit on a single tree.

Clouds of large, double, rose-pink blooms crowd each branch and branchlet to greet spring with a show of color as magnificent as that of any flowering peach you have ever seen. Then, in midsummer, the tree is loaded with big, yellow-fleshed free-stone peaches—so delicious that Saturn is worth growing for its fruit alone. The big golden beauties are irresistible and when you sample one you will find none of the bitter flavor usual with fruit from flowering varieties, but rich, juicy golden flesh loaded with the finest kind of peach flavor. Plant Pat. No. 1485. **\$3.50 each; 10 for \$31.50.**

Saturn is the result of nearly 20 years of exhaustive breeding and testing work by the Armstrong Research Department. Several fruiting-flowering peaches have been introduced in recent years but Saturn is the very first to be completely successful.



GLADIOLUS

For a wealth of brightly colored flowers, gladiolus are one of the best things you can plant. From among the best and biggest flowered varieties, we have chosen this outstanding mixed color group. Every bulb is Armstrong quality—the very finest available. **12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.35; 100 for \$10.80.**

GERBERAS

(Transvaal Daisies)

The long-stemmed daisy-like beauties are among the loveliest and most graceful of flowers. They are very long lasting and marvelous for cutting. These are a special selected strain with colors ranging from near-white through yellow, pink and orange tones to brilliant reds, outstanding for their clarity of color and fine flower form. The showy flowers keep bursting out all summer long, nodding on wiry 18-inch stems. Plant them in a sunny well-drained spot and they will give you colorful flowers year after year. Shipped for spring planting, mixed colors only. **Bare root divisions, 3 for \$1.95; 6 for \$3.45; 12 for \$5.95.**



ANEMONES & RANUNCULUS COLLECTION

Ranunculus Tecolote Giant (illustrated) are almost 100% double, in bright reds, oranges, yellows and whites. Top quality bulbs, 1 in. and up. **12 for \$3.45; 25 for \$6.75.**

Anemone Monarch de Caen Giant, long-stemmed flowers of rose, red, blue, purple, and lavender. Top quality bulbs, ¾ to 1 in. **12 for \$2.95; 25 for \$5.45.**

Anemone-Ranunculus Collection

For many long-lasting bouquets, plant Anemones and crinkly, gaily colored Ranunculus together. **25 of each, all top grade bulbs, for \$10.95.**

Late fall planting gives early spring blooms in mild areas. In colder states, bulbs are shipped for spring planting.



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